

Northampton Youth Commission

Sustainability Working Group

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Youth Commission Co-Chairs: Dahlia Breslow and Elijah Bacal

Meeting Notice

Online Video Conference (Zoom)

Meeting Date: March 28, 2022

Meeting Time: 8 PM

The Northampton Youth Commission Sustainability Working Group leads the Commission's advocacy efforts to pass environmental sustainability policy in the City of Northampton.

Instructions for joining the virtual meeting:

Topic: Northampton Youth Commission

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://bit.ly/noho-youth-commission>

Procedural note: Due to time constraints, discussion items may be postponed to future meetings.

Items for discussion:

1. Introduction for new group members that have not previously attended (if new members come)
 - a. Overview of what we've worked on in the past year, what we will be working on in the upcoming school year
 - b. Rohin, Joe, and established group members take questions on what we're going to do in the upcoming year, how outreach works, etc.
 - c. Quick review of ordinances for new members
2. VOTE to approve minutes from last meeting
3. Bag Fee
 - a. Elijah will update group on communication with Councilors about business outreach
4. NPS Electric Vehicles
 - a. Elijah will recap his meeting with the Transportation Coordinator of Beverly, MA
 - b. Group will discuss information received from Brian Foulds from Concord, MA
 - i. Sent many resources about Concord's program

- ii. Sent contact info for someone in Lexington, MA working on the same thing
 - c. Check-in on info gathering about grants, companies
 - d. Discussion with Susan Voss and Darcy DuMont about all of this new information, next steps
- 5. NPS composting
 - a. Elijah will update group on emails to local advocates and officials